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PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 10525.0009

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Zen-ichi Terashita et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1626
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Application No.: 10/540,369)	Examiner: Laura Lynne Stockton
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Filed: June 23, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 2737
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the final Office Action mailed October 27, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.